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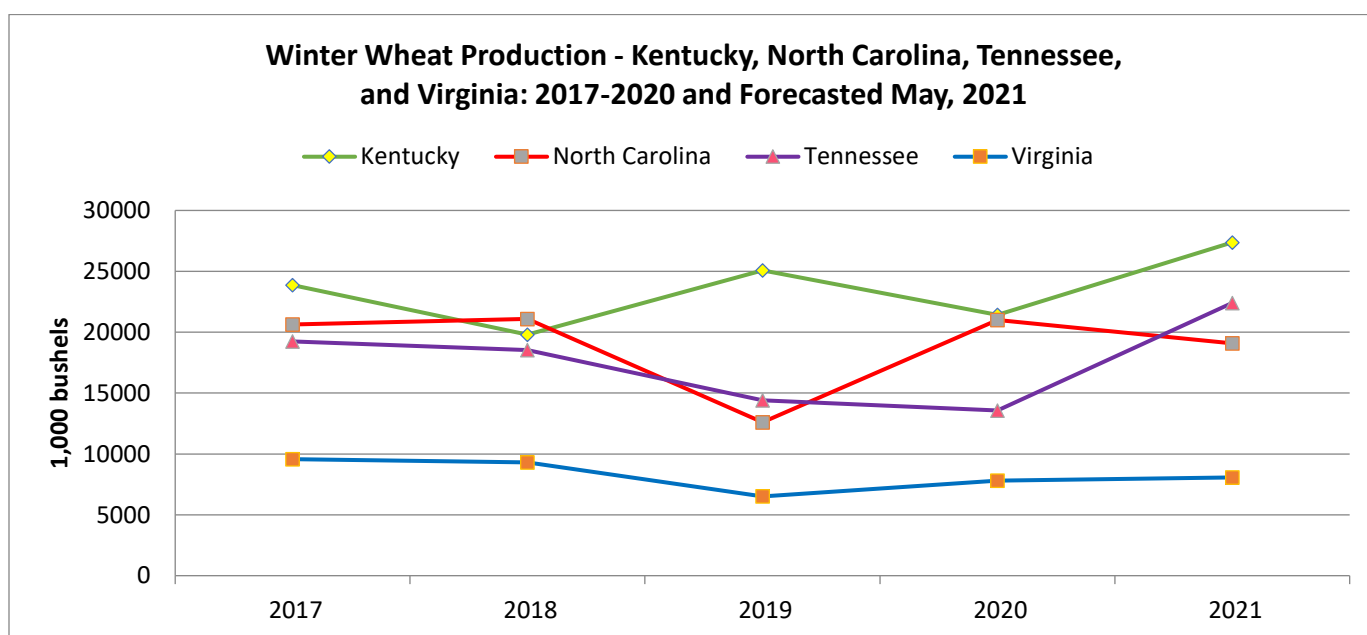
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Winter Wheat Area Harvested, Yield, and Production — Kentucky, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and United States: 2020 and Forecasted May 1, 2021

State	Area harvested		Yield Per Acre		Production	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	(1,000 acres)	(1,000 acres)	(bushels)	(bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
Kentucky	340	365	63.0	75.0	21,420	27,375
North Carolina	350	360	60.0	53.0	21,000	19,080
Tennessee	230	320	59.0	70.0	13,570	22,400
Virginia	130	130	60.0	62.0	7,800	8,060
United States	23,024	24,612	50.9	52.1	1,171,022	1,282,925



Hay Stocks on Farms - Kentucky, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, and United States: December 1 and May 1, 2019-2021

State	December 1		May 1	
	2019	2020	2020	2021
	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)	(1,000 tons)
Kentucky	3,000	3,825	625	950
North Carolina	1,300	1,120	180	190
Tennessee	2,900	2,930	425	570
Virginia	1,800	2,050	310	480
West Virginia	660	770	95	145
United States	84,488	84,020	20,426	18,006

Upland Cotton, Running Bales Ginned — North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and United States: 2017-2020

[Excluding linters]

State	Running bales ginned			
	2017 Crop	2018 Crop	2019 Crop	2020 Crop
	(number)	(number)	(number)	(number)
North Carolina	763,300	703,850	1,061,150	542,550
Tennessee	718,550	762,550	939,400	589,100
Virginia	182,000	184,400	229,700	120,100
United States	19,764,300	17,127,900	18,740,700	13,720,600

Prices Received for Commodities — Kentucky, North Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia: April 2021 with Comparisons

Commodity	Kentucky			North Carolina		
	April 2020	March 2021	April 2021	April 2020	March 2021	April 2021
Corn, for grain dollars/bushel	3.76	4.87	5.44	4.36	6.13	6.79
Soybeans dollars/bushel	8.63	12.60	13.10	8.51	13.60	13.50
Wheat, winter dollars/bushel	--	--	--	5.74	6.47	7.81
Cotton, upland dollars/pound	--	--	--	(D)	(D)	(D)
Peanuts dollars/pound	--	--	--	0.222	0.230	0.229
Hay, all dollars/ton	154.00	162.00	164.00	--	--	--
Alfalfa dollars/ton	205.00	215.00	215.00	--	--	--
Other dollars/ton	130.00	140.00	140.00	--	--	--

Commodity	Tennessee			Virginia		
	April 2020	March 2021	April 2021	April 2020	March 2021	April 2021
Corn dollars/bushel	3.53	5.42	5.55	--	--	--
Soybeans dollars/bushel	8.52	13.90	14.40	--	--	--
Wheat, winter dollars/bushel	--	--	--	--	--	--
Cotton dollars/pound	0.559	0.705	0.762	--	--	--
Peanuts dollars/pound	--	--	--	0.220	0.220	0.221
Hay, all dollars/ton	--	--	--	--	--	--
Alfalfa dollars/ton	--	--	--	--	--	--
Other dollars/ton	--	--	--	--	--	--

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Crop Average Prices Received - United States: April 2021 with Comparisons

Commodity	United States		
	Apr 2020	Mar 2021	Apr 2021
	(\$)	(\$)	(\$)
Corn, for grain (bu)	3.29	4.89	5.31
Soybeans (bu)	8.35	13.20	13.90
Wheat, winter (bu)	4.88	6.02	6.20
Cotton, upland (lb)	0.550	0.685	0.698
Peanuts (lb)	0.206	0.212	0.214
Hay, all (ton)	161.00	166.00	171.00
Alfalfa (ton)	180.00	181.00	187.00
Other (ton)	127.00	142.00	143.00

Livestock Average Prices Received - United States: April 2021 with Comparisons ¹

Commodity	United States		
	Apr 2020	Mar 2021	Apr 2021
	(\$ / Cwt)	(\$ / Cwt)	(\$ / Cwt)
All Hogs	42.30	67.20	75.60
Barrows & Gilts	42.60	66.60	75.40
Sows	36.20	78.80	79.90
All Beef Cattle ²	108.00	113.00	118.00
Steers & Heifers ³	111.00	116.00	121.00
Cows	64.00	67.10	71.10
Calves ⁴	151.00	163.00	168.00

¹ U.S. prices based on data provided by USDA AMS. ² "Steers & Heifers" and "Cows" combined. ³ 500 lbs. and over. ⁴ Under 500 lbs.

Number of Workers and Hours Worked — Regions and United States: April 12-18, 2021

[Excludes agricultural service workers and Alaska]

Region	Hired			
	Number of workers	Expected to be employed		Number of hours worked
		150 days or more	149 days or less	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(hours per week)
Appalachian I ¹	30	25	5	40.1
Appalachian II ²	20	17	3	41.5
United States	613	506	107	40.9

¹ Appalachian I Region includes North Carolina and Virginia

² Appalachian II Region includes Kentucky, Tennessee, and West Virginia

Number of Workers and Hours Worked — Regions and United States: January 12-18, 2021

[Excludes agricultural service workers and Alaska]

Region	Hired			
	Number of workers	Expected to be employed		Number of hours worked
		150 days or more	149 days or less	
	(1,000)	(1,000)	(1,000)	(hours per week)
Appalachian I ¹	21	18	3	38.4
Appalachian II ²	17	15	2	39.8
United States	506	442	64	40.2

¹ Appalachian I Region includes North Carolina and Virginia

² Appalachian II Region includes Kentucky, Tennessee, and West Virginia

Gross Wage Rates by Type of Worker — Regions and United States: April 12-18, 2021

[Excludes agricultural service workers and Alaska]

Regions and United States	Type of Worker			Gross wage rates for all hired workers
	Field	Livestock	Field and livestock combined	
	(dollars per hour)	(dollars per hour)	(dollars per hour)	(dollars per hour)
Appalachian I ¹	14.17	13.68	14.05	14.76
Appalachian II ²	14.23	14.60	14.40	14.98
United States	15.19	14.81	15.06	15.97

¹ Appalachian I Region includes North Carolina and Virginia

² Appalachian II Region includes Kentucky, North Carolina, and West Virginia

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	Field	Livestock	Field and livestock combined	
	(dollars per hour)	(dollars per hour)	(dollars per hour)	(dollars per hour)
Appalachian I ¹	14.34	13.63	14.10	14.99
Appalachian II ²	14.24	14.95	14.60	15.25
United States	15.23	14.87	15.08	16.21

¹ Appalachian I Region includes North Carolina and Virginia

² Appalachian II Region includes Kentucky, North Carolina, and West Virginia

Cattle and Calves Production and Income — Kentucky, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, and United States: 2020

[Dollar values based on data received from United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

State	Production ¹	Marketings ²	Value of production	Cash receipts ³	Value of home consumption	Gross income
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Kentucky	667,595	686,000	701,113	727,564	11,822	739,386
North Carolina	287,498	292,700	220,954	228,926	2,702	231,628
Tennessee	626,253	621,300	510,298	512,466	8,262	520,728
Virginia	466,557	477,835	355,493	372,057	5,903	377,960
West Virginia	135,966	157,290	141,872	165,176	6,056	171,232
United States	45,457,879	58,950,300	45,823,719	63,089,369	443,978	63,533,347

¹ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments.

² Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State.

³ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Hogs and Pigs Production and Income — Kentucky, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, West Virginia, and United States: 2020

[Dollar values based on data received from United States Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service]

State	Production ¹	Marketings ²	Value of production ³	Cash receipts ⁴	Value of home consumption	Gross income
	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 pounds)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)	(1,000 dollars)
Kentucky	247,100	255,403	122,806	128,468	1,030	129,498
North Carolina	4,541,889	4,621,206	1,816,944	1,913,180	539	1,913,719
Tennessee	197,095	197,439	98,281	99,313	556	99,869
Virginia	108,687	120,920	51,638	58,647	554	59,201
West Virginia	1,551	1,378	739	669	115	784
United States	40,512,570	41,920,315	18,055,995	19,171,805	26,118	19,197,923

¹ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments.

² Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State.

³ Includes allowance for higher average price of State inshipments and outshipments of feeder pigs.

⁴ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Egg Production by Type — Kentucky, North Carolina, Virginia, and United States: April 2020 and 2021

State	Total production		Table eggs		Hatching eggs	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)	(million eggs)
Kentucky	131.4	126.9	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
North Carolina	329.2	345.3	174.7	183.5	154.5	161.8
Virginia	55.0	60.9	24.8	30.0	30.2	30.9
United States	9,096.4	9,192.5	7,894.5	7,926.8	1,201.9	1,265.7

(D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

Layers on Hand and Eggs Produced — Kentucky, North Carolina, Virginia, and United States: During April 2020 and 2021

State	Table egg layers in flocks 30,000 and above		All layers		Eggs per 100 for all layers	
	2020	2021	2020	2021	2020	2021
	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(1,000 layers)	(eggs)	(eggs)
Kentucky	(D)	(D)	5,918	5,712	2,220	2,222
North Carolina	7,030	7,277	15,623	16,074	2,107	2,148
Virginia	866	823	2,692	2,763	2,043	2,204
United States	312,120	305,683	392,770	389,491	2,316	2,360

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Milk Production — Kentucky, North Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and 24-State Total: March and April, 2020 and 2021

[Excludes milk sucked by calves]

State	Milk production					
	March			April		
	2020	2021	Change from 2020	2020	2021	Change from 2020
	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(percent)	(million pounds)	(million pounds)	(percent)
Kentucky	--	--	--	--	--	--
North Carolina	--	--	--	--	--	--
Tennessee	--	--	--	--	--	--
Virginia	137	133	-2.9	132	129	-2.3
24-State Total	18,474	18,873	2.2	17,787	18,410	3.5

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